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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in reply to the Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 23, 2006, setting a term for a response of one month. Please substitute the following "IN THE CLAIMS" section for the corresponding section of the Amendment dated April 14, 2006 and filed April 18, 2006, as follows: